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RIVER CREWS' STRIKE MAY SOON SPREAD

Officers Keep Silent On Position.

TWO SHIPS TIED UP.

The greatest reticence is being observed by the officers of the river boats in Hong Kong this morning regarding the strike of seamen on the Hong Kong-Canton river craft, s.s. Sai On and s.s. Charles Hardouin. The strikers are stated to have demanded that the management of the Tung On S.S. Company cancel the regulation demanding the workers to pay a certain amount of money as deposit as security for the Company against smuggling.

It is thought, however, in certain quarters that the trouble goes deeper than that. So far no other ships have been affected, and it is stated that the s.s. Paul Beau will, if possible, sail as usual this evening. Rumours are current to the effect that the strike will spread to the s.s. Tung On and the s.s. Paul Beau, but no official information to support the report was forthcoming when a "China Mail" reporter visited the two ships this morning.

FRENCH SHIP HELD IN \$30,000 ACTION.

Three Officers Are Stranded Here.

CHIEF JUSTICE'S HEARING.

The seizure by the Court of the French steamer Governor General Maurice Long II, owned by the Man On Steamship Co., Ltd., of Haiphong, leaving its officers, Captain Paul Luigi, M. Le Guyot (Chief Officer) and M. Jean Perot (Chief Engineer) stranded in the Colony, had a sequel in an action heard by the Chief Justice Sir Joseph Kemp, in Admiralty Jurisdiction in the Supreme Court this morning.

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LULL IN CHEFOO FIGHT MAY PREFACE PEACE

Rival Warlords Wait For Nanking's Settlement.

Chefoo, To-day.
The situation is quiet here and the general belief is that the lull in the fighting will continue pending the outcome of the present negotiations for a peaceful settlement of hostilities between General Han Fuchen and General Liu Chien-shan.
No clash in the future is expected.

INDIGNATION ROUSED BY CRUEL THREATS GRAVE FEARS FELT FOR SAFETY OF WOMAN YOUNG HUSBAND HELPLESS

London, To-day.

The "Daily Mail" has offered the sum of £10,000 to bring about or assist in the rescue of the two British captives in Manchurian bandits' hands, Mrs. Muriel Pawley, pretty young bride, and Mr. Charles Corkran, an employee of the A.P.C. Grave fears are felt for their safety.

The offer is made "in the hope of stimulating the authorities to prompt and decisive steps" to save Mrs. Pawley and her companion from a ghastly fate.

The "Daily Mail" award may be used either in bringing the two to safety or may be paid as ransom, it can be spent to equip a rescue party or in any direction which authorities deem it, so long as the purpose is the freedom of the prisoners.

Feeling is intense in England, and elsewhere, over the bandit outrage. Only yesterday Mrs. Pawley's mother-in-law related a story of the young woman's bravery in the face of discouraging prospects. She had written to her father, in Mukden, a missionary, asking him to save her and her companion, but first of all to send her a powder-puff and lipstick.

Husband's Efforts.
Meanwhile, Mr. Pawley, the young husband of the captive woman, is making frantic efforts to organize some sort of rescue party.

It was only with the greatest difficulty that he was prevailed upon not to venture out alone to save his wife and friend, with whom he was riding when the bandits sprang upon them. But the authorities have pointed out to Mr. Pawley that he would probably lose his life in any such rescue venture and would almost certainly cause the bandits to murder the two captives.

The bandits, it is understood, have demanded more than \$1,000,000 for the safe return of both their prisoners. They have threatened, furthermore, to kill them if any attempt is made at a rescue. They will, they add, send Mr. Corkran's ears to his friends unless money is paid swiftly.

NEW THEATRE FOR KOWLOON.

Alhambra To Open In December.

SEATING CAPACITY FOR 2,000 PEOPLE.

Alterations Cause Delay.

Erected at a cost of \$700,000, the new Alhambra Theatre, in Nathan Road, owned and operated by the Hong Kong Amusement Limited, will be opened to the public early in December this year. The new theatre is bounded by Ransu Street on the south, Market Street on the north, Nathan Road on the east, and Bochoow Lane on the west. The Alhambra will screen first run films of Warner Brothers and First National, leaving M.G.M. productions for screening at the Queen's Theatre. Western Electric Sound equipment will be installed.

The new theatre, a marked feature of which is a fan-shaped auditorium, was expected to open during the Chinese New Year (February) of this year.

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"RED" STUDENT LEADER HELD IN SHANGHAI

Nanking Rounds Up Dangerous Youth.
SECRET INSTRUCTIONS.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]
Shanghai To-day.

Nanking's movement to round up all dangerous Communists, culminated in Shanghai police arresting Yuan Chi-chun, an alleged "Red" student, charged with responsibility for all "student animosities" in Shanghai and throughout China.

The arrest followed receipt of secret instructions to the Public Safety Bureau from Nanking Garrison Headquarters, stating Yuan was hiding in a school in the Western District of Shanghai.

He has been identified as the chief Moscow representative sent to Shanghai to promote Communist activities among students.

A big detective squad found Yuan napping in a room of the school. He did not resist arrest.

DOLLAR STEADY BUT SILVER IS SLIGHTLY DOWN

New York Markets Strengthening.

SIGNS OF ACTIVITY.

Reports reaching here from London and New York indicate a general state of steadiness in money and stock markets to-day.

While the Hong Kong dollar remained steady at 1.34, both spot and forward silver prices declined fractionally. Spot silver dropped to 17 1/2 from 17 11/16, and forward to 17 11/16 from 17 13/16.

The London on New York cross rate was \$3.47 to-day, as against \$3.47 1/2 yesterday and the New York on London rate was \$3.46 1/2 as against \$3.47 1/2.

Dow Jones averages in New York to-day were quoted as having risen 2.43 in Industrials, 1.06 in Rails and 72 in Utilities.

There are, says the *Money*, E. A. Pierce and Co. reports, increasing signs of technical strength and the market is improving with more than an even chance of a follow through of to-day's late strength. Business done was 1,300,000 shares.

"U.S. Unconcerned by Jap. Attitude To Philippines"

Honolulu, To-day.
Rep. Butler B. Hays, en route to the Philippines on the *Manila*, said that whether the removal of American military protection would leave the islands open to possible conquest by Japan or any other power was beside the point of independence. "Japan has said she doesn't want the Philippines," he said, "and she has said she doesn't want to take them by force."



MANCHURIAN SOLDIERS ON DUTY.—Chinese soldiers who are in the Manchukuo Army, guarding against a sudden attack by the volunteers.

BRITAIN'S DELEGATES TO GENEVA

Sir John Simon And Sir Bolton Monsell.

BUREAU MEETS TO-DAY.

London, To-day.

Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon and First Lord of the Admiralty Sir Bolton Monsell left London yesterday afternoon for Geneva to attend the meeting of the Bureau of the Disarmament Conference, opening to-day.

There had been some conjecture as to whether or not the Bureau would sit, since Germany announced the withdrawal of her delegates from the Conference in view of the non-acceptance of her demand for equality of treatment in the matter of armaments. Other nations are endeavouring to effect a compromise, however, and bring Germany back into the parleys where a new basis of arms agreements may be sought.

Mr. Eamon de Valera will preside at the Arms Conference Bureau sessions. — British Wireless Service.

GENERAL CHAN WILL TAKE FUKIEN POST.

At Present Serving In Amoy.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Canton, To-day.

General Chan Ming-shu will take post as Chairman of the Fokien Government, and it is understood General Chiang Kwong-wei has refused the office. The latter, it is believed, desires a Pacification Commissionership. Meanwhile, General Chiang has taken up certain official duties in Amoy.

General Chan believes that re-organization of Fokien's administration is necessary.

DOWNTOWN PROPERTY SELLS AT \$550,000.

Ice House Street Block Changing Hands.

The premises at Nos. 11 and 12, Ice House St., occupied by the Netherlands Trading Society, have been sold for \$550,000 to Mr. Wai Chiu-pak, proprietor of the Yee Tin Tong Drug Company in Queen's Road.

Transfer of the property was undertaken to-day at the offices of Messrs. Russ and Co., solicitors.

Hangman Ellis Found Stabbed

Throat Slashed In Rochdale Home.

London, To-day.

John Ellis, 58, the official hangman for 28 years, was found with his throat cut at his home in Rochdale to-day. He officiated at 203 executions, including those of the notorious Crippen and Sir Roger Casement.

Whether foul play or suicide is suspected, police do not divulge. — Reuter.

LITTLE SERVANT TELLS OF PAINS

Beaten By Son Of Her Mistress.

Another unregistered mulatto, Ho Wong-tai, aged 12, appeared before Mr. Scholten at the Central Magistracy to-day and stated that she had been ill-treated by her employer's son.

Inspector Fraser of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs presented the case. He told the Court that the girl had come to the Police station and said that she was an unregistered mulatto. She also said that she had been beaten with a leather strap by the son of her mistress, Ho Wong-tai, and that she was afraid to go home. The girl had been living with her mistress, Ho Wong-tai, for some time. She had been beaten by her mistress's son, Ho Wong-tai, and she was afraid to go home. She had been living with her mistress, Ho Wong-tai, for some time. She had been beaten by her mistress's son, Ho Wong-tai, and she was afraid to go home.

SOUTH CHINA COMMAND SWIMMING

Huge Crowd Witness Army Contests.

HOLDERS WIN RELAY HEAT AT Y.R.C.

R. Burns Qualifies.

The V.R.C. was filled to overflowing to-day on the occasion of the Eighth Annual Swimming Meeting of the South China Command. Representatives of all regiments and units together with a small crowd of naval spectators showed the immense interest being taken in the meeting which will be concluded to-morrow.

A prominent competitor who should render a good account of himself for the Borderers is Pte. W. T. Campbell, who broke the Army record for the Harbour Swim a fortnight ago. He has also broken the British Army records for the Quarter Mile and the Half Mile in unofficial trials in the "Y" bath.

The 20th Battery R.A. will be defending their title in the Inter-Battery Company Relay, while the Royal Artillery are well served to make yet another attempt to retain their title in the Open Relay. The Borderers and the Artillery will, however, offer a stern challenge, and the Small Units have entered a team. Other defending title-holders are Lt. Musson (Officers 100 Yards), Cnr. Oliver (Diving and 150 Yards Championship) and Pte. McPhee (25 Yards).

RESULTS:—

Inter-Battery Company Relay.
1st Heat:
1. "B" Coy, Borderers.
2nd Heat:
1. 12th Battery, R.A.
3rd Heat:
1. 20th Battery, R.A. (holders).
4th Heat:
1. H.Q. Wing, Artillery.
Boys' Handicap 80 Yards.
1st Heat:
1. R. Burns (holder).
2. D. Burns.
2nd Heat:
1. H. Clark.
2. W. Webb.
3rd Heat:
1. E. Norris.
2. P. Birmingham.

50 Yards (Infantry).
1st Heat:
1. Mr. Heavy Battery H.R.S.R.A.
2. 1st Mr. Battery H.K.S.R.A.
2nd Heat:
1. "D" Coy 3/9 Jats.
2. "A" Coy 5/6 Jats.
150 Yards Master's Championship.
1st Heat:
1. Pte. McPhee (Artillery).
2nd Heat:
1. Cnr. Hyde (R.A.).
3rd Heat:
1. Lt. Col. Jackson (Artillery).
2. Lt. Col. Harris (R.A.).

The following are the entries for the 100 Yards Master's Championship:
1st Heat: Pte. McPhee (A.R.), Cnr. Oliver (R.A.), Pte. McPhee (A.R.), Cnr. Oliver (R.A.).
2nd Heat: Pte. McPhee (A.R.), Cnr. Oliver (R.A.), Pte. McPhee (A.R.), Cnr. Oliver (R.A.).



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Gypsies Changing Modes Of Life

But Still Retain Old Picturesque Customs

That gypsies are modernizing their outward life—by using motor caravans, for instance—without changing any of their customs or ideas, is the conclusion reached by a writer in "The London Morning Post" after interviewing a gypsy girl who, although she had travelled over half the world—America, Egypt, Italy, Ireland, Wales and England, and had even spent a few days in Paris—could neither read nor write.

"Gypsies are funny people," the girl admitted, and then, under gentle prompting, went on to describe their existence.

"We may go to a cinema now and then, but not with a boy," she said. "Of course, if we met one we knew there we needn't walk out; just speak and that's all; but we always have to take a girl—sister or mother, or maybe a friend, a gypsy friend, of course, if we go to a picture house."

"We must never go to a dance in any place we happen to be in; gypsies have their own dances for themselves. Of course, if village folk like to come in and look on, we wouldn't turn them out, but we mustn't ask them to dance with us."

Harsh Tribal Code.
"If a girl gets into trouble with a man before marriage, or if a gypsy girl marries a man who is not a gypsy, or anything like that, she is turned out of the tribe; no one will speak to her again as long as she lives."

"But if a gypsy girl lives regular with a gypsy man, even if they are not married, she can have as many children as she likes, and it's all right; he stays with her. Gypsies don't desert their women or their children. Oh, no! But they like best to be married and all the tribe comes for miles to a gypsy wedding. But a wedding is nothing to a funeral."

"We do not bury our dead where

ever we happen to be. We take our dead back to their fathers, no matter how far that is. One gypsy died in America who had married out of the tribe. It wasn't a happy marriage; she wanted to live in—between walls; but we took her back to her father's. Banned, she had to be, and in three coffins, and the coffins underneath the caravan. It took her seven months to get home, but she lies beside her own!

Never Are Paupers.
"And gypsies never allow one of themselves to lie in pauper ground or be buried by the parish. If they speak before they go, we take them where they want to be laid. If not, we do as we think best, but all the tribe will contribute to give them proper burial. They generally buy ground they own."

"Everything we eat we pay for



as we go. Of course, the men are good poachers. I dare say you know that; they won't steal, not ever, but they poach whatever they can. And we live on the best food; no chilled meat, no foreign food, nothing out of tins, and no sauces or oddments, no trifles and such things; nothing but the best food, and only one thing for a meal.

Boys Are Guards.
"And you know we have to have two caravans where there are children. The children mustn't sleep with the grown-ups. In these days it isn't safe for girls to sleep alone. Strange men, not of our kind, have been known to break in at night, so there must always be a boy, a brother, in the girls' caravan. He sleeps opposite to them and with a curtain drawn between. If we know of any boy or girl left alone, we take them in."

Modern gypsies are a lot different to the old ones. We don't have all the gold and copper and brass things they did. We have silver for the table; that's modern, but for cooking we use just ordinary things nowadays. And, of course, you know gypsies are very particular about washing. For instance, we mustn't wash a dish-cloth in the same water that we wash clothes in; or a tablecloth. And if a spoon happens to fall into a bowl we wash our face and hands in; we must throw it away."



MENU SUGGESTIONS FOR TO-MORROW.

TIFFIN
Fish Salad (Cold)
Beef Collops.
Macedoine Turnips and Carrots
Apple Amber Pudding
DINNER

Oxtail Soup
Braised Ham with Sweet Corn
Baked Potatoes in Jackets.
Ice Cream au Canton Ginger
Sautéed kidneys is a very simple tiffin dish, consisting of kidney sliced and sautéed in butter with onion, adding enough Worcester Sauce to make a little gravy. They should be piled on squares of freshly made and buttered toast. See that toast croutons are soft not leathery squares that a knife can hardly penetrate.

Sweet corn makes an excellent accompaniment to braised ham. The cook knows how to get the grains off the cob.

Shrimps are still plentiful and a fish salad is always enhanced in both taste and appearance by being plentifully decorated with shrimps.

Oxtail Soup
Joint an oxtail. Fry it with diced onions, carrots and turnips (one each); add 2 quarts of water and some herbs, bring to the boil, skim well, simmer from 3 to 4 hours and strain it. Cook 2 oz of butter and 2 oz. of flour together, carefully browning the flour; add the liquid and boil. Put back some of the best pieces of the tail, season well, add a wineglass of port and serve. (This makes a good cold soup).

VEGETABLE DINNERS ARE ATTRACTIVE.

Contrast Of Colours An Aid To Appetites.

REVIVE THE SPIRITS.

Here is a suggestion for your next vegetable dinner: Place the Spinach mound and Harvard beets in the centre of a large platter. At opposite ends of the platter place buttered carrots sliced cross-wise to make rings. On opposite sides of the platter place French-fried potatoes with the strips parallel to the edge of the platter. Between the carrots and the potatoes—at the four corners, as it were—place strips of crisply cooked bacon at right angles to the potatoes. Additional servings of the vegetables may be brought to the table if necessary. With the vegetable platter serve hot rolls or bread, a beverage and dessert.

Gay Food Picture Revives Drooping Spirits.

In preparing these platters, strong colour contrasts are not objectionable. A gay food picture of red, green and yellow is excellent to revive drooping spirits on a gloomy day and quite worth all the effort involved. Cook cauliflower whole in boiling, salted water. Drain, remove all green leaves, and place it in the centre of a platter or chop plate. Sprinkle grated cheese over the cauliflower and place it in a slow oven until the cheese has just melted. Remove it from the oven and sprinkle paprika over the cheese. Arrange a green-and-red border around the cauliflower by alternating whole based tomatoes and stuffed green peppers. Any favourite stuffing may be used for the peppers—bread crumbs with meat, rice with minced ham, or chicken with corn.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.

WRESTLE SHOPPER
1-Beesides
4-Myth
7-Farm animal
10-Worship
12-An equal
14-Cattle
15-Lick up
17-Lacerated
18-The (Fr.)
19-Bird of prey
21-Musical note
22-Pronoun
23-Old times (Post.)
24-Music in natural state
26-Father
28-A wading bird related to the heron
30-Snail
31-Branch
32-Dutty
33-A fruit
36-Observed
38-Proposition
40-Expire
41-Sailor (Colloq.)
42-Proposition



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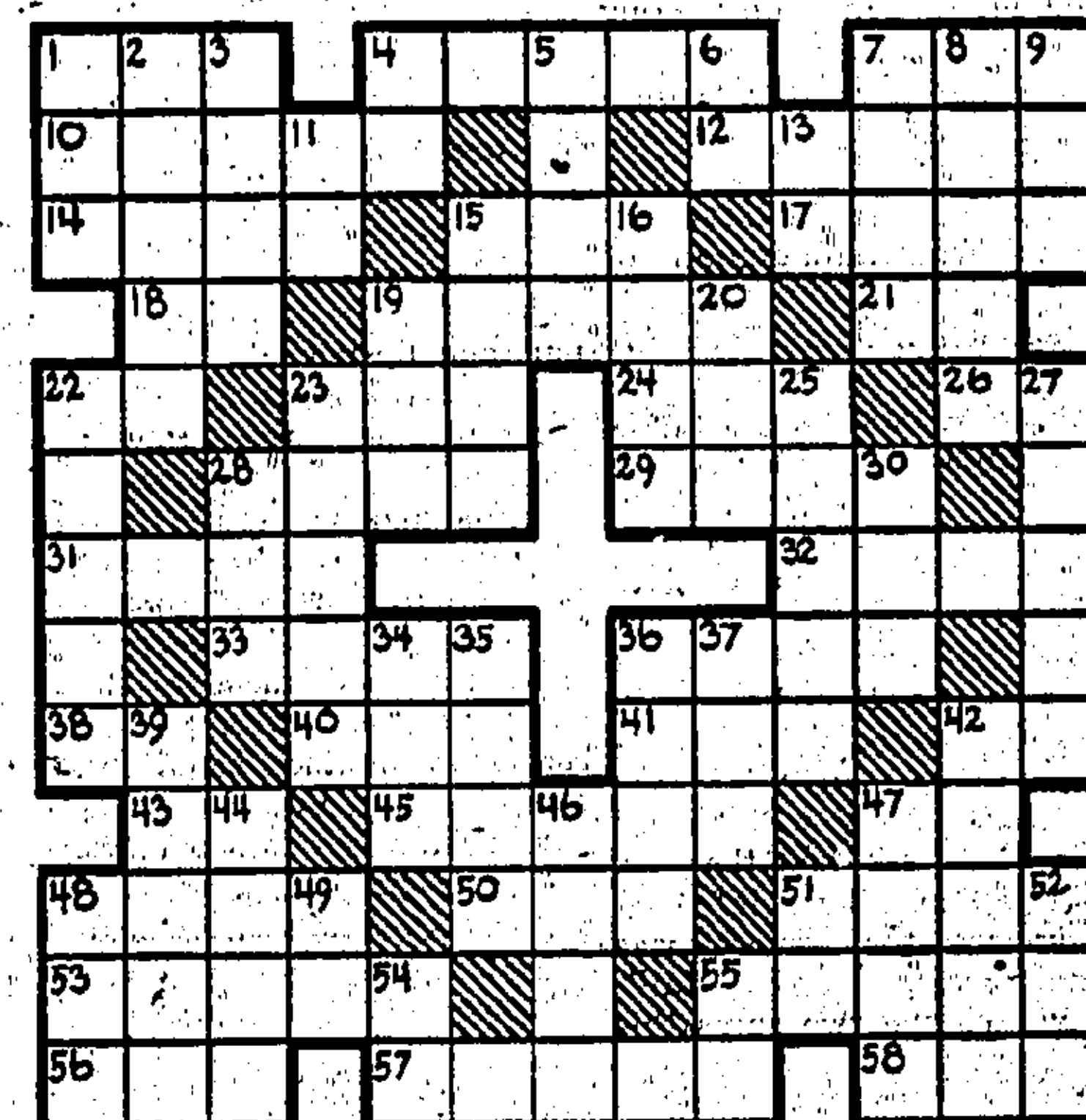
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL

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HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

43-Italian river
45-Choice
47-Egyptian sun-god
48-Combining form.
Foot
50-Tear
51-Smaller number
52-Space for combat
53-Gasps
54-Absence of peace
57-Bed linen
58-Golf term

VERTICAL (Cont.)

16-Chart
19-High priest (Bib.)
20-Make a mistake
22-One of the lowest class of ancient Sparta
23-Declined
25-Anxious
27-Adorn with dress
28-Mischiefous child
29-Enclosure
34-Atmosphere
35-At the back
36-Walk
37-Organ of hearing
38-Musical drama
42-New loosely
44-River in Germany
45-Mature
46-Lake
47-Cat's foot
48-Ahead
51-Musical note
52-Point of compass (abbr.)
54-Because
55-Liquid measure (abbr.)

(The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle, will appear in to-morrow's issue.)

Bringing Up Father.



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I confess I am not tempted by that item, but I should dearly love to send my order for the hundred-odd volumes of the Cornhill. Old periodicals are always fascinating, and there is perhaps none that can compare with the Cornhill. Fancy turning over the pages and coming upon Thackeray's contributions, or the poems of Tennyson, Browning, Meredith and Swinburne. How wonderful to read Matthew Arnold and Leslie Stephen and, Robert Louis Stevenson as they were originally printed. The stories of Anthony Trollope, George Eliot, Wilkie Collins, and Charles Reade are somewhere hidden in these volumes, and I believe one of Thomas Hardy's novels first came out in the Cornhill. Yet I will not write to the bookseller; first, because I cannot afford to buy the complete Cornhill; and then, because I should not know where to put the volumes if I could secure them. I must content myself with having made my literary mouth water.

Dr. Johnson's dictionary—the first edition—is, I notice, priced at forty pounds. Far too much for me. On the other hand, a splendid library edition of the works, comic and serious, of Thomas Hood, with all the original illustrations, in ten stout volumes, is going for a single sovereign; but then I have all of Hood that matters in one slim volume. To be sure, the sort of thing I want, and for which I can pay, and for which I have house room, is rare; but I none the less assiduously peruse these catalogues in the hope of making acquisitions that will be a joy to me. As often as not, when I am sufficiently tempted by the cunning title of an old book to order it, I am disappointed. Sometimes I am disappointed because it is already sold; and sometimes I am disappointed because it does not come up to my expectations.

**ART EXHIBITS SHOW
SEASON WANES.****"One Man Shows" Are
Finished In London.**

London, Sept. 15.

That the season, as far as art is concerned, has come to an end, a little earlier than usual, is indicated by the character of the exhibitions opened in late August. The one-man shows have given way to miscellaneous exhibitions, the material for which is mostly drawn from stock.

This does not exactly apply to the "New Selection of Small Water-Colours by Well-Known Artists" at the Fine Art Society, to which contributions have been sent by a number of distinguished painters who approve of the idea that artists should adapt their charges to the country's economic condition and reduce spending power. The prices ranged from 4 to 10 gns., although the list of exhibitors included some of the leaders among contemporary water-colour painters, such as Sir George Clausen, Sir Charles Holmes, John and Paul Nash, Russell Flint, Sir Frank Short, Walter Bayes, and Charles Ginner.

At the Beaux Arts Gallery was to be seen a mixed "Exhibition of Paintings and Drawings by Eminent British Artists," and at Mr. Wilson's Gallery, in Ryderstreet, an "Exhibition of Twelve Paintings," the selection of which reflected credit on the taste of the organizer, although it must be confessed that the chief interest was centred not in the work of such living artists as Walter Sickert (whose painted snapshots are getting a little disreputable), Ethel Walker, Wilson Steer, Matthew Smith, and Therese Lessore, but in the superb, romantic, Giorgionesque portrait by G. Beard, and in an exquisite painting of Diana in the dusk of a summer glow by the late and almost forgotten Spencer Gore, who better deserves a modest notice in the Temple of Art.

**Magic Of Lighting At
Vienna Opera****Foreigners Always Struck By
Striking Natural Effect**

(By G. E. R. Gedye).

Foreigners are always struck by the magic of the Vienna Opera lighting effects—the natural drawing-on of dusk, the setting of the sun, the rising of the moon as the stars twinkle through a darkening sky. To see how these miraculous effects are produced is a privilege which it is not possible for many to enjoy, but a brief account in non-technical language of "how it works" may interest those who have seen only the results.

Behind the scenes of the Vienna Opera the place to make for is the "Commando-Brücke"—the "Captain's Bridge," as it is called, from which lighting effects are controlled. The bridge can be raised or lowered, or made to travel across the vast stage by merely pressing a switch; its usual place is on the right of the stage.

On the bridge stands Civil Engineer Albin Rotter, the man who controls day and night, storm, sunshine and shadow, surveying the deep alleyways of the eight flies of the front and the two at the back of the stage. In addition to headlights and footlights he controls six searchlights—two in each of the proscenium boxes, and four in the highest gallery. Their beams intersect with the rays of the footlights, and so prevent the casting of shadows. Four movable spotlight machines behind the scenes travel around as a singer moves, holding him or her always in their bath of light.

Tin Box Is A Moon.

The greatest interest attaches to the operatic heavens, where the sun slowly rises, the day dawns, the hours pass rapidly to the sinking of the sun again, and the rising of the moon—where threatening clouds gather and lightning rends the clouds. First let us watch exactly how the sun really rises and sets as we have seen it do from the front in

"The Flying Dutchman," the "Woman Without a Shadow," and Puccini's little opera "The Cloak." It is very simple. On the transparent backcloth of the skies are the beams of a cone of light, finely focussed. Before the projecting lens a long glass strip coloured from deep orange to white is slowly drawn.

Still simpler is the operatic moon, as seen in Verdi's "Masked Ball." A tin box with a bright light inside, in front of it a strip of glass or transparent material, is lowered and drawn very slowly to one side. So the moon passes across the heavens. Stars twinkling through the dark-blue night backcloth are simply cut out of it and illuminated from behind. If night draws on during the action, this is not possible with a light backcloth. Tiny black containers with minute slits in front are lowered on fine wires against the darkening sky and the lights turned on. So the stars shine forth in the second act of the "Meistersingers."

Clouds and Skeletons. Clouds sweeping across the sky are actually born in a cylinder containing a three-kilowatt lamp. In this revolves a glass cylinder painted with the black shapes of clouds. All these phenomena, as well as the projection of the phantom Valhalla in "Rheingold" and "Götterdämmerung" are controlled from the "Captain's Bridge."

In the "Tales of Hoffmann" Dr. Mirakel causes a skeleton to appear mysteriously. This is one of the newest technical marvels. It is painted in radium paint, which is pale yellow like the figures on the illuminated dial of a watch in normal lighting, and only flames up when exposed to ultra-violet rays projected from a searchlight. All these phenomena are worked in Vienna by a highly complicated switchboard with 160 switches.

**RECKLESS CLIMB OF
HOSTILE PEAK.****"Kamet Conquered" Is
Attractive Book.**

Sir Francis Younghusband, in a foreword to this notable new book, asks what is the secret of man's urge to risk his life climbing remote and hostile peaks.

"Quite certainly it is the power the mountain has to force the best out of man. Man likes to be his best. But often nothing short of a Himalayan peak can extract it from him—can compel him to be his fittest in body, alertest in mind and firmest in soul. So he is drawn to the mountain. And the mountain makes a man of him. And he is grateful. This is the true secret of the lure of the mountain."

Sir Francis's insistence on the qualities required of the Himalayan climber—technical skill, endurance, comradeship, spirit, and above all, the moral strength essential to sustained effort on a plane so remote and high above the world that it is like a fourth dimension—is more than justified by Mr. Smythe's stirring account of one of the greatest feats of its kind in history.

Peaks like Kamet could never have been conquered without long training.

The climber is ever threatened by ice avalanches which Mr. Smythe describes "cataclysmic in their magnitude," and the range of temperature is fantastic—as much as 250 deg. in one day. "At midday the sun's rays, at great altitudes are sometimes almost paralysing in their intensity, but when the sun has set a coldness akin to the coldness of space comes to the upper world."

Added to these difficulties is that of carrying tents, food, instruments, and other equipment to heights of well over 20,000 feet and establishing camps for journeys that may run into weeks. For it is the fact that the Kamet expedition was the first to reach the summit of high altitude climbing in the world, as such, that it is the "Kamet" story. The fact that the Kamet expedition

**RAHRE PAINTINGS
UNVEILED.****Gatehouse Re-opened
By Lord Mayor.**

The Lord Mayor of London, Sir Maurice Jenks, attended by the Sheriffs, unveiled in the Priory Church of St. Bartholomew the Great, West Smithfield, the Rahere panels of the choir screen, painted by Mr. Frank Beresford, and opened the restored gatehouse.

The paintings on the panels represent incidents in the life of Rahere, founder of the church and of St. Bartholomew's Hospital. It was on the spot where the corpses of thieves and felons rotted on the elm trees that Rahere placed the altar in its present position in 1123.

In opening the gatehouse, the Lord Mayor recalled that in July, 1930, it was condemned as a "dangerous structure." It had now been conserved and reconstructed at considerable expense. He hoped that funds might be forthcoming soon to defray all liabilities of the church owing to the unforeseen calls due to the devastating ravages of the deathwatch beetle, Zeppelin bombs, and centuries of neglect.

Before the gatehouse was declared open, Sir William Llewellyn, president of the Royal Academy, unveiled a memorial tablet to Sir Aston Webb; his brother, Mr. Edward Alfred Webb, and Mr. Frederick Lionel Dove, who for many years devoted themselves to the conservation and restoration of St. Bartholomew's Church.

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overcame all obstacles says as much for the cunning of its strategy as for the skill and endurance of its members—not least among them the native porters. Mr. Smythe paid these gallant fellows a graceful and deserved compliment when he pushed one of them into the lead and gave him the honour of being the first man ever to reach Kamet's summit. (25,417 ft.)

Mr. Smythe has written a book about the expedition, and it is the "Kamet" story. The fact that the Kamet expedition



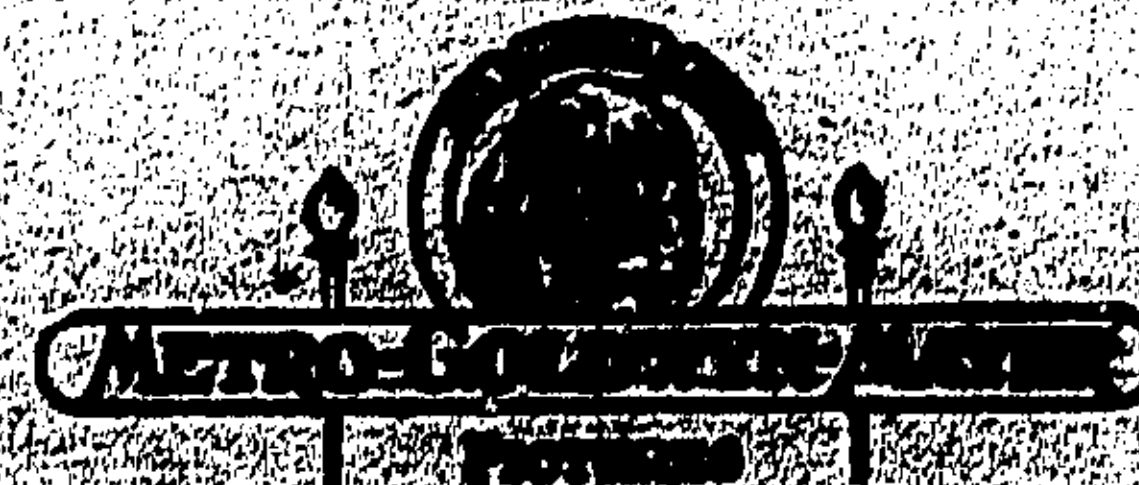
COMMENCING TO-MORROW

TARZAN**THE****APE****MAN**

The Greatest Drama of the
Wilds Ever Thrown Upon
the Screen.

CAST

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HOLT	Neil Hamilton
JANE	Maureen O'Sullivan.
PORTER	C. Aubrey Smith.
MRS. CUTTEN	Doris Lloyd.
RIANO	Curtis Nero.



AUTHORITIES STRIVE TO FREE CAPTIVES.

"Every Possible Step Has Been Taken."

BANDIT SUPPRESSION.

London, Yesterday. Reuters have been informed here that all possible endeavours are being made by the British authorities in China to secure the release of Mrs. Muriel Pawley and Mr. Charles Corkran, the Mukden residents who were captured by bandits while riding on the Mukden race-course two weeks ago.

The British Consul at Newchwang is working under the superintendence of the Consul-General at Mukden. All the British officials concerned are working in the closest possible touch with all the authorities concerned to obtain their release.

The peril of Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Corkran is emphasised by the bandits' ultimatum which is told in flaming headlines and has aroused intense concern throughout the country.

"Every possible step has been taken since Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Corkran were captured," is the only statement so far vouchsafed in official British quarters.

Newspapers' Efforts.

The Daily Express has opened a campaign with the object of bringing pressure and publicity upon everybody concerned. The newspaper has telegraphed to Changchun, where the Foreign Minister has replied lengthily, regretting the affair involves subjects of Britain with whom Manchukuo is desirous of promoting "friendly relations" and giving assurances that rescue efforts are being continued vigorously. The Government is determined to clear the country of bandits completely with the aid of the Japanese military forces as soon as the kaoliang harvest is complete, thereby ensuring the safety of everybody within the state.

The Daily Mail says the incident shows clearly that Japan's firm hand is required to deal with the chaos in Manchuria. It looks to the Japanese Government to exert promptly its well known energy in the rescue of the Britishers and incidentally warn the brigands that the slightest injury to either prisoner will bring exemplary punishment for the whole of the gang.—Reuter.

MUSIC SCHOOL FOR COLONY URGED.

Dr. Mistowski Speaks To Rotary Club.

In the course of an interesting talk before the Rotary Club members at the weekly tiffin yesterday, in which he dealt with his reminiscences of travel in foreign countries Dr. Alfred Mistowski, F.T.C.L., put forward the suggestion that there should be a musical school in Hong Kong. He did not see why there should not be one. Dr. Mistowski added that there was excellent material here, and he had discovered quite a musical temperament amongst the Chinese boys and girls.

He added: "There are enough cultured and well-to-do people who take an interest in music in the Colony. I think it would be a good thing if there could be some central place where music students could prepare and where there would be a musical atmosphere and some standard held up to them. I am sure it would be self-supporting, and needs only the initiative on the part of some of the citizens to help in the scheme."

FRENCH AIR-LINER IS WRECKED.

Passengers And Crew All Are Safe.

Bagdad, Yesterday. Flying into a sandstorm in the middle of the desert, 80 miles east of Rutbah, a huge French Farman air-liner, was completely wrecked to-day. All the passengers, who were on their way to Cochinchina, and the liner's crew are reported safe.—Reuter.

Will Indian Reforms Come Too Late?

Warning Note Uttered By Mr. Andrews

GRAVE CONCERN FELT

The news that has come through from India telling us that leading Liberals have tendered their resignations to the Viceroy must give pause to those who imagine that things are going peacefully in that country. Even if these Indian leaders are persuaded to retract their ominous decision, the seriousness of what has happened is apparent, writes Mr. C. F. Andrews to the "Manchester Guardian."

Evidence reached me on every side while I was in India last April that the political situation was going rapidly from bad to worse. This was still further complicated by deep economic distress. Since I came home I have realised how little is reported accurately in this country and how great the need is for further reliable information. While Mahatma Gandhi was in Italy a spurious interview was published as coming from him in Rome. It was at once denied, but it has followed him since, like a dark shadow, and I have found his character maligned on this account. The action of the Viceroy in imprisoning Mr. Gandhi with such inordinate haste has aggravated and intensified this initial injustice. For he has not been allowed any opportunity to make clear to the world the falseness of the alleged interview or to explain his own position. Without being tried in any court of law, he has been treated as a criminal. When I asked to be allowed to see him I was blankly refused. Three members of the Society of Friends who came with a letter to Gandhi from Tagore were denied any access to him in his prison cell. Yet the one object which we all had at heart was conciliation and peace.

An Anomaly. It is surely an anomaly that the British Government, which has been pleading so earnestly for disarmament at Geneva and for the abandonment of reparations at Lausanne, should at the same time be pursuing a policy of forcible repression in India. We are so insular in our outlook that we do not consider what the rest of the world is thinking about us. Yet wherever one travels in Europe and America the name of Mahatma Gandhi is held in highest honour and his imprisonment by the English people is looked upon with shame and rebuke. The result has been that on this point world opinion is slowly hardening against us.

In London since my return I have been living in the closest contact with Indians themselves who are either merchants or students. As each steamer arrives from India they bring me the latest news of what is happening. Letters also come to me direct, telling me in deeply moving terms what resentment and bitterness now prevail. From all this volume of evidence only one conclusion can be drawn. If Sir Samuel Hoare by his policy had ardently wished to increase a hundred-fold the influence of the National Congress he could not have employed a more effective method than these repressive ordinances. Below the surface things are going on which can only end in revolution. Every safety valve of free speech, free open meeting, and free inquiry has been stopped. The consequence is that the pressure of revolutionary thought from within is reaching the point of explosion.

If it be argued that my own information, as one whose sympathy with Indians is well known, is likely to be one-sided, I would answer that in the present instance this is not the case. Those now meeting me daily in London are persons who have neither joined the Congress nor taken any active part in political affairs. They are Moslems as well as Hindus. There are also prominent Indian Christians and Europeans. I have met men from the Indian States as well as from British India. The gravest warnings which I have received concerning the future have been from those who are most earnestly anxious for the continuance of British rule in India.

Among those in highest authority in Great Britain, and that the opinion of Sir Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of State for India, is that the situation is grave.

The events which are now taking place with gravest concern. It is only the preoccupation with Europe that prevents them from paying more attention to what is going on in the East. They recognise that the logical result of all repression is disaster, and they are by no means satisfied with the assurance of the Secretary of State for India that all is quiet. They know only too well that the hush which comes before a hurricane is the most ominous sign of all. They recognise that what has failed in South Africa and in Ireland is likely to fail in India also.

In this mood they are desperately anxious to get on with the reforms. They go on, hoping against hope that the race against time may end in their favour and that the boon of the reforms will obliterate the sufferings which are now being undergone by those in prison. But in such a race they are certain to be defeated; for the last thing that the ordinary people in India are talking about to-day is the reform scheme. They will have none of the reforms if they are to be imposed upon them by force instead of being agreed upon by mutual consent.

The event to which I have referred—that Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru, Mr. Srinivasa Sastri, and Mr. Jayakar have offered their resignations to the Viceroy—is for those who can read it a "writing on the wall." The warning it brings is unmistakable. It spells the failure of the dual policy of repression combined with reform which the Viceroy and Secretary of State have continually proclaimed as the one pathway of Indian progress.

DEATH OF MRS. KHUBCHAND.

At French Hospital On Monday.

The death of Mrs. Khubchand, at the French Hospital on Monday, is reported. Mrs. Khubchand, who is the wife of the proprietor of the Royal Silk Store, gave birth to a daughter at the Hospital on September 12, and both mother and child were progressing favourably. The mother, however, had a relapse on Sunday and passed away on Monday last.

The funeral took place yesterday evening and was attended by many members of the Indian Community.

FRENCH SHIP HELD IN \$30,000 ACTION.

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The officers are seeking a portion of a total claim for \$30,000 damages against the vessel. The ship is at present lying in the harbour in the custody of the Court. She was seized owing to a great number of writs being taken out against her. Mr. H. C. Macnamara appeared for the plaintiffs. He stated that the clients, A. Yuen and Chea Cheong Co. were ships chandlers and were claiming for necessities supplied to the French ship, which was a vessel of about 11,000 tons.

Regarding the claims by the ship's officers, Mr. Macnamara said Captain Luigi had lent \$1,750 to the Company, with which sum they paid the crew. They had refunded only \$1,100 of the sum to him, in three payments. The loan was made in Haiphong, and the firm had promised to refund the loan on his arrival at Hong Kong. The case is proceeding.

GARNER'S MOTHER CRITICALLY ILL.

Washington, Sept. 20. Foretelling politics. Speaker of the House, John N. Garner, Democratic vice-presidential candidate, was speeding by train to the President's home when he was stricken with a severe attack of pneumonia. He was critically ill at the time.

ONLY 3 NATIONS SUSPEND DEBTS.

Esthonia, Poland And Latvia Serve Notice.

Washington, To-day. Three nations took advantage of the privilege of suspending their debts due the United States December 15, serving notice just before the deadline.

They were Esthonia, Poland and Latvia, which were scheduled to make payments to the United States of \$1,252,000 on that date. Principal and interest payments will be postponed for a period of two years, according to the advice received by the treasury department.

The two biggest amounts due from foreign countries, owed by Britain and France, will be paid, however. Britain's payment will be \$140,000,000 and France's \$50,000,000.

Germany is now angling for suspension of a payment due prior to December 15.

GOVERNMENT DIVER DIES SUDDENLY.

Peculiar Circumstances Cause Examination.

SEIZURE UNDER WATER.

Mr. W. R. Stevens, Government diver, was fatally stricken under peculiar circumstances late yesterday afternoon, while working on the Harbour pipe line. When brought to the surface, the diver was found to be in a critical condition.

An ambulance was immediately sent for, and Mr. Stevens was rushed to the Government Civil Hospital, but he died before reaching there.

Deceased, who has had considerable experience of diving in Australia, was a recent arrival from Amoy. Beyond this little is known of him. Certain portions of the anatomy have been sent to the Government Analyst for examination. The funeral will take place this afternoon, passing the Monument at 5 p.m.

SMALL ACROBATS DETAINED.

Street "Show Boss" Is Charged.

Two small Chinese boys, who have been causing no small amount of comment and obstruction by carrying out programmes of pavement acrobatics in Kowloon, were taken to the Water Police Station last night.

The "boss" of the show, a Shanghai man, was arrested and charged, and it is understood that the boys will be sent to the S.C.A. to-day. The two young performers spent the night wrapped in blankets on the floor of the Water Police Station charge room.

NEW THEATRE FOR KOWLOON.

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corative and facial alterations have, of necessity, caused some delay.

It will have seating accommodation for 2,000 people, and thus will add greatly to the entertainment of this Colony.

Another feature of the building is that special attention had been paid to exits, and there are doors practically the whole length of the frontage on Nathan Road. It is estimated that the theatre when full, can be cleared inside two minutes.

The main entrance, facing Nathan Road and practically opposite the Po-Hing Theatre, is under a large canopy projecting over the sidewalk, and leads into a spacious lobby, 78 feet by 84 feet in area. A wide flight of steps lead up to the mezzanine floor entering the dress circle at the bottom. There will be no pillars to obstruct the view of dress circle patrons.

Messrs. Lam Woo & Co. are the general works contractors, while Messrs. Lum Sang & Co. erected the concrete frame. Mr. T. O. Wong, B.Sc., is the architect responsible for this modern edifice.

NICHOLIN KILLED.

London, Sept. 20. A man named Nicholin, 31, was killed yesterday when he was struck by a motor car on the Strand.

RADIO TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station, R.K.W. on a wavelength of 385 metres (845 K.C.s):—

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor & H.M.V. records. Local Time & Weather Report. A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

5-7 p.m.—Chinese programme. 6-8.30 p.m.—Children's Concert. 7-10.30 p.m.—European programme.

7.9 p.m.—A programme of Victor & H.M.V. records.

7.35 p.m.—Orchestral. In a Monastery Garden (Kotelbey) Romance (Tachikowsky).

Victor Concert Orchestra (35808). Ave Maria (Schubert).

Ave Maria (Bach-Gounod). Victor Concert Orchestra (36029).

Irish Rhapsody (Herkert). Victor Symphony Orchestra (35997).

Romance—Ballet Music (Schubert).

Moment Musicales (Schubert). Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra (1312).

8 p.m.—(Local Time & Weather Report).

7.35-8.15 p.m.—Variety. Fox Trot—Dream Sweetheart.

Waltz—Goodnight, My Love. Waldorf-Astoria Orchestra (22988).

Vocal Gems—Whoopie. The New Moon.

Fox Trot—I Know You're Lying, But I Love It. Keepin' Out of Mischief. Coon-Sanders Orchestra (22969).

Orchestral—A Smoking Concert—No. 2. Jack Hilton & His Orchestra & Chorus (32804).

(This record is by special request.) Selection—Dorothy. The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards (1312).

8.15-9 p.m.—A Concert. Song—The Gypsy and the Bird (Granof-Benedict).

Parlaid Valse (Arditi). Madam Amelia Galli-Curci (Soprano) (1287).

Piano Solo—Prelude in A Minor (Debussy). Alt-Wien (Old Vienna) (Godowsky).

Isabelle Yalkovsky (4115). Song—Beautiful Isle of Somewhere (Pounds-Fearis).

All Through the Night (arr. Maynard). Richard Crooks (Tenor) (1558).

Guitar Solo—Courante (Bach). Andres Segovia (1298).

Song—Oh, Promise Me! (Scott-De Koven). A Banjo Song (Weeden-Homer).

Louise Homer (Contralto) (1295). Violin Solo—Slavonic Dance, No. 1 (Dvorak-Kreisler).

Songs my Mother Taught Me (Dvorak-Kreisler). Fritz Kreisler (1414).

Song—The First Cress (De Crescenzo). Bola Espada (Sombre Forest) (arr. Lally).

Enrico Caruso (Tenor) (1487). (This record is by special request.) 9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Selections by The Melody Team. 9.30-9.57 p.m.—Selections from Opera.

Gems from "Tales of Hoffman" (Offenbach).

Gems from "Mignon" (Thomas). Victor Opera Co. (35975).

Traviata—Selections (Verdi). Creators' Band (35807).

Gems from "Cavalleria Rusticana" (Mascagni).

Gems from "Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo). Victor Opera Co. (35982).

9.57-10.15 p.m.—Musical Comedy. From Erik Charell's "White Horse Inn".

New Mayfair Orchestra (C2208). Follow a Star—Vocal Gems. Light Opera Co. (C2057).

10.15-10.30 p.m.—Instrumental Music. String Bass Solo—Valse Miniature (Konnerovitzky).

Serge Konnerovitzky (1476). Accordion Solo—Post and Peasant Overture (von Suppe).

J. Herr (V-6904). Piano Solo—Fairy Tale (Mozart).

White Horse Inn. 10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.45 p.m.—Close Down. All records included in the European programme are by special request. Messrs. Victor & H.M.V. Co.

CENTRAL THEATRE

TO-DAY

at 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.30 P.M.

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HONG KONG SOCCER TEAM FOR SHANGHAI IN NOVEMBER

Omar's Brilliance Again Triumphs

ANDREWS AT H.K.C.C. TO-DAY AT 3.30

Wimbledon Star In Exhibition Games.

YEW MAN-KIT ILL.

E. D. Andrews, the New Zealand and British International lawn tennis player, will be seen on the H.K.C.C. courts this afternoon at 3.30 p.m.

The programme of exhibition games has been slightly altered. Yew Man-kit has unfortunately been taken ill and his place in today's doubles match will be taken by Tsui Wai-pui, the promising young Chinese player.

E. D. Andrews and M. W. Lo v. Ho Ka-lau and Tsui Wai-pui.

E. D. Andrews v. E. C. Fincher. Andrews reached the peak of his form at Wimbledon this year. He led Frank Shields, last year's runner-up, by 2 sets to love when he had the misfortune to over-reach for a ball and twisted his ankle. "Andrews would almost certainly have captained the Cambridge University team had he not accepted a position with a firm of chartered accountants just prior to the sailing of the combined Oxford and Cambridge team which visited America to test the strength of Harvard and Yale.

K.C.C. REPORT ON THE YEAR.

72 New Members Make Total Of 309.

SATISFACTORY OUTLOOK.

During the last year 72 new members have joined the Kowloon Cricket Club, thus bringing the membership up to a total of 309.

The New Building Sub-Committee experienced a difficult year. By September it was obvious that the contractor would not finish the new pavilion by the contract date for completion, December 15. Every effort was made to keep him up to the mark, but without success. By February it was quite clear that he was in grave financial difficulties, and that his sub-contractors would not work because they were not getting paid. He had in fact considerably under-estimated the cost of the job.

In June all hope of completion was abandoned and through the K.C.C. architects the contract was rescinded, and the Committee proceeded to get the building finished with the aid of various sub-contractors and of the Hong Kong and Whampoa Dock Company.

The total cost of the building was thus unfortunately increased by over \$10,000, for which sum the K.C.C. have a legal claim against the contractor, but in view of his financial position it seems more than doubtful whether they will recover a cent.

The working account of the Kowloon Cricket Club shows a balance of income over expenditure of \$1,821.41, about \$200.00 less than last year.

This decrease is due to the considerably larger allowance that has had to be made for depreciation, in particular of gear. With this item taken into account, the position may be considered very satisfactory.

As yet no inclusion of the amount expended on the new clubhouse has been made in the Club's year-end account, and also the amount of the two Billiard Table, etc., etc., etc.

VISITING SKIP TOO GOOD FOR MALCOLM

Buchanan Off Form

BRADBURY'S INDIFFERENT DISPLAY & BRAWN FAIR.

Shanghai, Sept. 15. The Hong Kong Lawn Bowlers confirmed the good opinion formed since their arrival by their victory yesterday in their first official match, against the Western Zone team, whom they beat by 18-13.

Before a large crowd Hong Kong beat the Western Zone team by 5 shots in a very hard fought game owing to the fine bowling of their skip, U. M. Omar.

The match was fought out on every end only after a struggle between the opposing skips. Omar, being just too good for Malcolm, who put up a great fight. Bradbury, the Hong Kong No. 2, played a good game at times, Brawn their No. 3 was fair but their lead G. L. Buchanan was off form and was eclipsed by G. V. Jensen the opposing lead, who was Shanghai's star performer.

Shanghai's skip, Malcolm, made a number of fine saves and didn't always have the best of luck. Turnbull at No. 13 and Brawn at No. 2 played well and held their opposing numbers.

After the match Mrs. Main, the wife of the President of the Shanghai Recreation Club, presented spoons to the Hong Kong Interport team and Mr. Omar presented spoons to the Shanghai four.

Score by Ends.			
Ends	H. Kong	West	Total
1	1	1	2
2	1	1	2
3	1	2	3
4	2	4	6
5	1	4	5
6	1	4	5
7	2	6	8
8	2	8	10
9	1	8	9
10	2	10	12
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12	1	11	12
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16	1	13	14
17	3	16	19
18	1	17	18
19	1	17	18
20	1	18	19
21	1	18	19

BASEBALL. CUBS WIN NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cuyler Thrills 40,000 Crowd.

TO MEET YANKEES FOR WORLD TITLE.

New York, To-day. The Chicago Cubs won the National League Baseball Pennant yesterday when they beat Pittsburgh Pirates by 5 to 2. The Cubs, who won the world series title in 1929, will meet the New York Yankees for the baseball supremacy of the world to-day in New York.

Cuyler's triple in the seventh inning with all bases loaded clinched the game in the most thrilling manner. The 40,000 crowd gave vent to their pent up enthusiasm by a tremendous demonstration. The Cubs have won 89 and lost 61 of their 150 games. The first two games will be played in New York on September 22 and 23.

The Chicago Cubs have won the National League Baseball Pennant for the 11th time in their history. They defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates 5 to 2 yesterday afternoon at the Polo Grounds in New York.

BASEBALL.

OTT AND TERRY WIN FOR GIANTS.

Indians Double Against The Browns.

PIRATES BREAK SQUARE.

New York, To-day. The following were the results of yesterday's Baseball games: National League.

Chicago Cubs	5	10	0
Pittsburgh Pirates	2	8	2

Chicago Cubs	0	3	0
Pittsburgh Pirates	5	10	0

Meine pitched.

New York Giants	13	17	1
Brooklyn Dodgers	3	9	0

Philadelphia Phillies 1 8 0
Brooklyn Dodgers 3 9 0
Stripp and Wright hit homers.

St. Louis Cardinals	3	7	1
Cincinnati Reds	1	5	1

American League.

Boston Red Sox	1	4	3
Washington Senators	4	9	1

Cleveland Indians	5	12	1
St. Louis Browns	2	11	2

Cleveland Indians 11 19 2
St. Louis Browns 2 8 1
—Reuter's American Service.

MAURICE TATE NOT GOING ON AUSTRALIAN TOUR.

Famous Cricketer's Relapse.

London, To-day. Maurice Tate, the Sussex and England bowler, will not accompany the M.C.C. team to Australia.

He suffered a relapse yesterday and a definite decision was then made.

On the eve of the departure of the team, Tate suffered a nervous breakdown, but recovered and was expected to join the team at Toulon today.—Reuter.

LINCOLNS DEFEATED IN SHANGHAI.

To Commence League Season Here On Oct. 8.

8,000 CROWD THRILLED.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, who will relieve the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders on October 3 and who will play their first League match on October 8, were beaten by the Tung Hwa team in Shanghai by 5 goals to 2 before a crowd of 3,000 spectators.

The Lincolns held the Tung Hwa team to a draw in their first encounter, both sides scoring three times. Reeks and Higgins were the most prominent military players and both found the net, the latter bringing the stands down with a magnificent shot after a brilliant solo effort.

PAT MADAR WINS.

Cricket Interporter Takes To Tennis.

SECURES "RECS" TITLE.

Pat Madar, who played "A" Division grade tennis for the Kowloon Cricket Club at the commencement of the recent League season has won the Shanghai Recreation Club singles championship.

Brilliant play at the net gave Madar a straight sets victory over J. P. Hawes by scores of 6-1, 6-0, 6-3. This was the second year in succession that Hawes had reached the Final without proving successful.

Madar showed fine judgment and great accuracy to lift the White Cup for the first time in his career. Pat Madar represented Hong Kong last May when the Colony side defeated Shanghai by 42 runs after having played for the northern port in previous encounters. After a very short stay in the Colony he was transferred back to Shanghai.

OPEN RIFLE SHOOT.

On Sunday next, September 25, is to be held the Hong Kong 303 Championship at the Kowloon Tong Range (No. 7 Bus from Star Ferry). Shooting will commence at 9.30 a.m. at the 300 yards point, followed by shooting at the 400 yards, 500 yards and 600 yards points. The number of shots allowed will be one sighter and five to count.

The competition is open to all, and any sights may be used, while slings will be optional. Entrance fee is \$1.50 for members and \$2 for non-members. Entries should be sent to the Hon. Secretary, Mr. A. Chappelle, Ordnance Depot, Queen's Road, East.

NORTHERNERS' VISIT IN FEBRUARY

PRESENTATION TO R. K. DUNCAN AT ST. FRANCIS

"HATS OFF TO THE CHINESE"

DRAW FOR FIRST ROUND OF LAI WAH CUP.

A HONG KONG SOCCER ELEVEN WILL BE SENT TO SHANGHAI TO PLAY IN AN INTERPORT MATCH DURING NOVEMBER. THIS DECISION WAS ARRIVED AT LAST NIGHT AT THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE HONG KONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION. SHANGHAI ARE SENDING A TEAM TO THE COLONY DURING THE CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS, AND IT WILL BE THE OBJECT OF THE AUTHORITIES TO ARRANGE EITHER A SOCCER OR A RUGBY INTERPORT IN THE COLONY EACH YEAR.

At the conclusion of the meeting, the members of the Council adjourned to the St. Francis Hotel, where an informal dinner was held in honour of Mr. R. K. Duncan, who is proceeding home next month. Warm tribute to Mr. Duncan's splendid efforts to further the Soccer game during his 18½ years' connection with the game, was voiced by the Chairman, Major Manners, while Mr. G. T. May lent whole-hearted support to the Chairman's remarks.

Mr. Mok Hing, on behalf of the Chinese Clubs, spoke highly of Mr. Duncan's services to the game, and in his reply, Mr. Duncan said "he took off his hat to the Chinese footballers," for in a remarkably short space of time they had become masters of the game.

Mr. Duncan was the recipient of a handsome clock as a mark of appreciation from the Hong Kong Football Association.

After the minutes of the last meeting had been taken, the matches must be resident in the Colony for at least one month. Since the regiment was arriving here on October 4, he saw no reason why they should not be eligible to play. He added that the selection committee should consider the matter very carefully, however, as the point was a peculiar one.

The following were present at the meeting: Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E. (Chairman), Mr. W. W. Hollands (Secretary), Captain G. C. Cooper, Captain Fleetwood, Messrs. G. T. May, A. Goldenberg, H. M. MacTavish, J. Logan, F. H. Barnes, G. Alexander, Caswell, Mok Hing and Y. K. Mok.

Receipts and payments account for the month of August, 1932, not continue.

INTERPORT FOOTBALL. The Secretary then read the letter from the Shanghai Football Association which in addition to inviting a Hong Kong Interport team to Shanghai during November, stated that the Shanghai Club would definitely be sending a representative eleven to Hong Kong next Chinese New Year. The letter added that it would be a splendid opportunity to change the Interport matches so that each port enjoyed at least one Interport match each year.

During discussion regarding the invitation, Mr. G. T. May said that he was in favour of sending a team if possible, but there was a danger of the future interfering with the local League fixtures. It meant sacrificing three weeks, he stated.

Mr. Hollands pointed out that the team could leave on the 22nd, and arrive in Shanghai on November 24th, and return from Shanghai on November 26th, per the 22nd. President Taft and arrive back here on Friday, December 2. This only one Saturday would be missed.

It was unanimously passed that a team should be sent, and all Clubs notified with a view to sending players who were available to make the trip. A committee to deal with the arrangements and the selection of the team was appointed, consisting of Mr. G. T. May, Mr. W. W. Hollands, Mr. G. C. Cooper, Mr. A. Goldenberg, Mr. H. M. MacTavish, Mr. J. Logan, Mr. F. H. Barnes, Mr. G. Alexander, Mr. Caswell, Mr. Mok Hing and Mr. Y. K. Mok.

RECEIPTS. Balance at 1st August \$2,036.87

Subscriptions and entrance fees to Association 46.00
League Entrance Fees 720.00
Registration of Players 9.00
Referees Fees 10.00
Shield Entrance Fees 120.00
Sale of Handbook 1.00

Total \$2,942.87

PAYMENTS. By office expenses 1.09

Postages 10.00

Stationery 9.50

Telephone Rent 68.50

Balance at 31st August 2,588.58

Total \$2,942.87

INVESTMENT. \$5,000 Public Works Loan at 4% 200.00

Total \$4,387.22

LAI WAH CUP. The draw for the Lai Wah Cup is to be held at the Caroline Hill Club on Friday, September 23rd.

The draw will be played on the Hong Kong Football Club ground.

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SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.		
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CHICHIBU MARU	Wednesday	5th October.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.		
SUWA MARU	Saturday	1st October.
FUSHIMI MARU	Saturday	15th October.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Port.		
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	24th September.
KAMO MARU	Saturday	29th October.
MANILA.		
TATSUTA MARU	Thursday	18th October.
JOMBAY via Singapore, Penang, & Colombo.		
NAGATO MARU	Thursday	29th September.
PENANG MARU	Saturday	8th October.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.		
HEIYO MARU	Tuesday	18th October.
NEW YORK, BOSTON via Panama.		
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa & Valencia.		
LIMA MARU	Sunday	16th October.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
RANGOON MARU	Thursday	29th September.
TANGO MARU	Tuesday	11th October.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.		
KAMO MARU (Nagasaki direct)	Sunday	25th September.
TERUKUNI MARU	Wednesday	28th September.
IYO MARU	Thursday	29th September.

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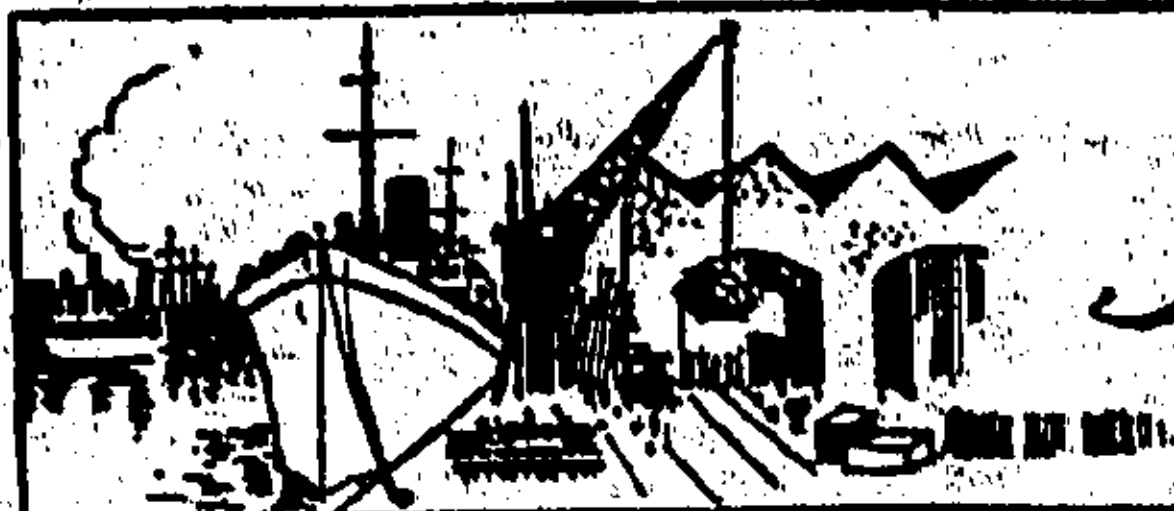
SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG & ANTWERP via Aden.		
Hokuroku Maru	Wed.	28th Sept.
NEW YORK via Japan, Los Angeles and Panama. Call Direct at Cristobal, Puerto Colombia, Boston Philadelphia & Baltimore.		
Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues.	27th Sept.
MONTEVIDEO & BUENOS AIRES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban, PORT ELIZABETH and Cape Town.		
Manila Maru	Fri.	7th Oct.
MOBASA, ZANZIBAR, DARES SALAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH, CAPE TOWN and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.		
Brisbane Maru	Wed.	5th Oct.
MANILA, MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON & AUCKLAND direct.		
Havre Maru	Tues.	4th Oct.
Alaska Maru	Thurs.	6th Oct.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan Deli and Colombo.		
Burma Maru	Sun.	2nd Oct.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Belawan Deli and Rangoon.		
Himalaya Maru	Fri.	23rd Sept.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung.		
Canada Maru	Mon.	10th Oct.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).		
Canton Maru	Sun.	25th Sept.
TAKAO via Swatow and Amoy (Noon, every other Thursday).		
Deli Maru	Thurs.	22nd Sept.

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LINERS REFUSE PASSENGERS.

Cruising Boom On English Coast.

SHIPS ARE TOO FULL.

To-day will go down in history as the first holiday to lift shipping out of its long depression, stated the Daily Herald of August 2.

Tens of thousands of happy families will be at sea, some of them cruising on the world's finest liners.

The cruising spirit has been so widely caught that scarcely a pleasure steamer making trips round the English coast will go out to-day without its full complement of passengers.

Fourteen liners left Southampton on Saturday.

Shipping companies have had to turn away thousands of pounds. The Berengaria went out in the early evening with 1,500 first-class passengers who are making a lightning trip to Madeira.

Two hundred men and women postponed their holiday plans till the last possible moment in the hope that cancellations on the eve of sailing would make it possible for them to join the Berengaria.

Five Cunarders. No one at Southampton remembers a day when there were five Cunarders sailing within a few hours—the Berengaria, the Lancastria, the Ascania, the Aquitania, and the Samaria.

An official of the docks told the Daily Herald that never in the history of the port had so many special trains arrived from all over England, and never had so many cars been parked near the great ships.

Crowds of tourists in the Empress of Britain hung down coloured streamers from the top decks when she went out in the morning.

Liverpool was as happy as Southampton. The new White Star motor-vessel Georgic went out with 1,300 passengers, a record West-bound total for any ship sailing from the United Kingdom or the Continent for the United States this year.

During the week-end 4,914 passengers left British ports in White Star liners for cruises and trips across the Atlantic.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—
Basin—H.M.S. Tamar.
North Wall—H.M.S. Folkestone.
H.M.S. Moth.
East Wall—H.M.S. Oswald.
H.M.S. Phoenix, H.M.S. Parthian.
North Arm—H.M.S. Whitehall.
H.M.S. Wishart, H.M.S. Wren.
West Wall—H.M.S. Devonshire.
Dock—H.M.S. Verity, H.M.S. Whitshed.

Foreign.

French River Gunboat Argus.
Chinese Sloop Hol Chau.

HARBOUR OFFICE.

Good Freight Figures Reported.

The Harbour Office Reports for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. yesterday gave a free movement of vessels with a high tonnage. Freight was up to the mark, both the inwards and throughs reaching five figures. The total tonnage entered was 45,795.

There were 13 inward registries of which four were British and eight of four figures, while of the 10 throughs, four were British and seven of four figures. Two vessels arrived in ballast.

Passengers entered during the period included 94 Europeans and 1,044 Asiatic deck, British vessels carrying 109 out of the total in all classes.

Details follow:—

Nationality	Arr.	H.Kong	Dep.	Through
	Cargo	Tons	Cargo	Tons
British	5	5,213	12	7,150
American	1	1,341	—	3,047
Norwegian	3	4,855	3	1,960
French	1	1,890	—	1,600
Danish	1	2,783	—	33
Japanese	5	7,257	3	10,806
Chinese	—	—	1	—
Total	16	22,989	19	24,556

LEVIATHAN IS BACK AT WESER DOCK.

Now that the Leviathan (ex Vaterland), and belonging to the United States Line, has again entered the port of Bremen, that city is rejoicing in the fact that the three huge liners, the Europa (49,746 g.r.t.), the Bremen (51,656 g.r.t.) and the Leviathan (54,232 g.r.t.) (German measurement) will regularly come alongside the Kolumbus Quay. The new-comer will add greatly to the welfare of the Weser and to its reputation.

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HAVE you returned your firms particulars for insertion in the "Hong Section" of the 1933 DOLLAR DIRECTORY?

Firms who have not yet attended to this important matter are requested to do so immediately.

Secretaries are also reminded to forward all information concerning their clubs, associations, etc.

TO FACILITATE THE EARLY PUBLICATION OF THE NEW ISSUE THE PUBLISHERS WILL APPRECIATE THE PROMPT RETURN OF ALL FORMS.

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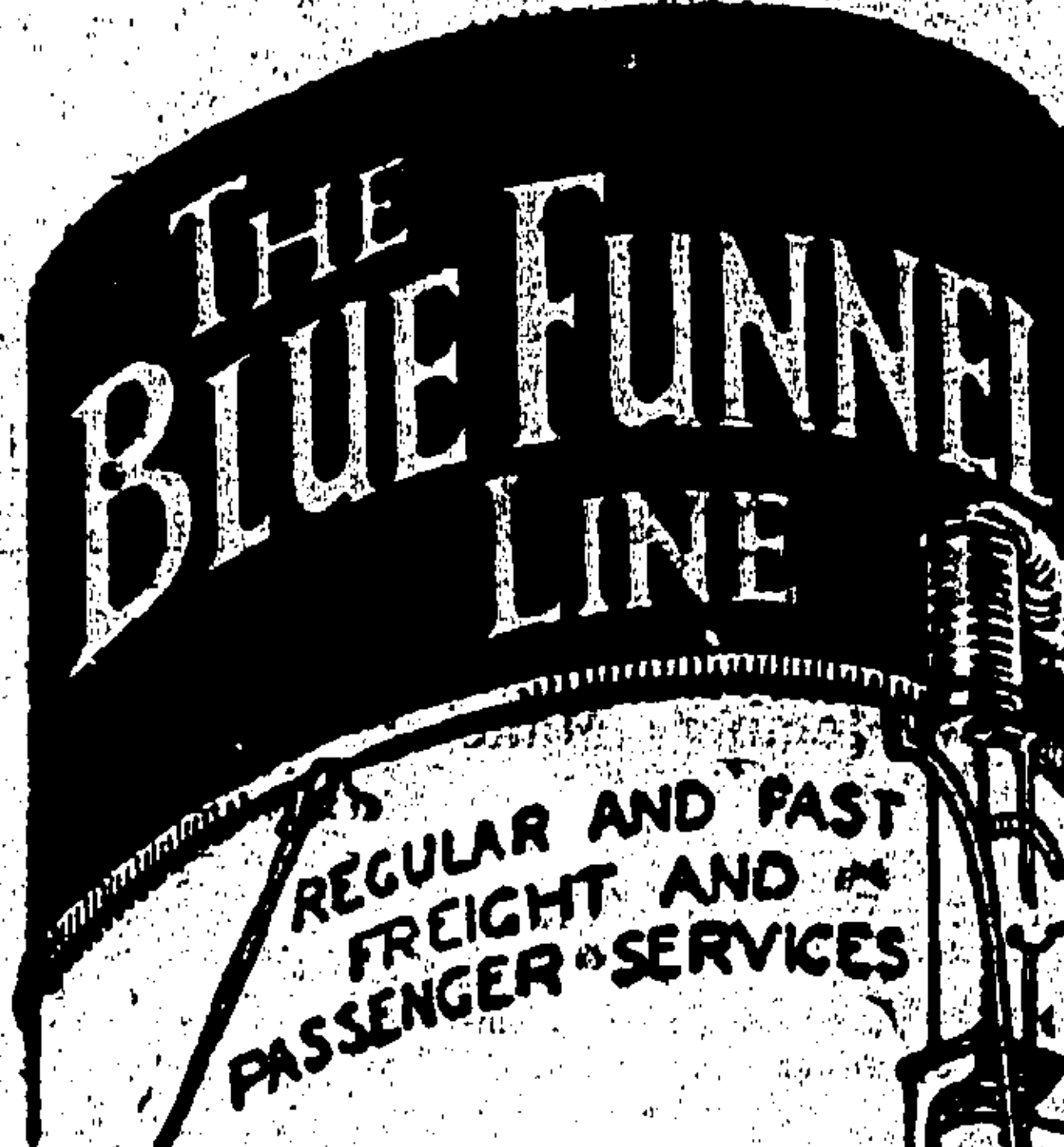
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MIRZAPUR	6,700	5th Oct.	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
CARTHAGE	14,000	8th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SOMALI	6,800	15th Oct.	Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
NALDERA	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
BANGALORE	6,500	12th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London, Havre, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CORFU	15,000	19th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
COMORIN	15,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
BEHUTAN	6,000	10th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London, Havre, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	17th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	31st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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TILAWA	10,000	15th Oct.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TALMA	10,000	31st Oct.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.

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S.S.	Tons	1932.	Destination.
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TANDA	7,000	2nd Dec.	

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S.S.	Tons	1932.	Destination.
NALDERA	16,000	22nd Sept. Noon	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000	23rd Sept. 6 a.m.	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
NAGOYA	6,800	25th Sept. Daylight	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
BANGALORE	6,500	4th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	7th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CORFU	15,000	21st Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
BEHUTAN	6,000	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
COMORIN	15,000	4th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	17,000	18th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
BEHUTAN	6,000	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	11,000	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	2nd Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANCHI	17,000	16th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
BURDWAN	6,500	29th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,000	30th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

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Shipping Board Inquiry.

The U.S. Shipping Board has directed its bureau of regulation to commence an investigation of tariffs, rates and conditions employed by about 30 companies comprising the membership of the so-called Associated Steamship Lines of Manila, Philippine Islands, covering transportation of cargo from the Philippines to the ports of the United States.

Each of the lines will be required to submit full and complete information showing agreements, contracts with shippers and all traffic arrangements affecting cargo destined to the United States, as well as the participation therein by the Isthmian Steamship Co. This company will be required to furnish similar information with regard to its participation in Philippine traffic to the United States in association with members of associated steamship lines. The companies will be required to file the information within four months.

Member Companies.
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The Board's resolution calls for data on shipments transported from the Philippines to United States ports from and including December 9, 1930, to date. It also seeks information on participation in rate tariffs from July 1, 1930, to the present time.

HONG KONG TIDES.

The time used is Standard, or mean time of the meridian of 120 deg. E. 10h. is midnight, 12h. is noon. The heights are referred to the datum of the largest scale Admiralty chart of the place and should be added to the depths given on the chart unless preceded by an asterisk (*), when they should be subtracted from the depths.

Date	High Water	Low Water	Standard Ht.	Standard Ht.
	Times.	Times.		
Wed. 21	00 00 03	07 26 25	2.5	
Thurs. 22	13 05 3.9	17 03 3.3		
	00 25 6.3	08 50 2.5		
Fri. 23	14 15 3.4	16 30 3.3		
	01 00 6.3	10 14 2.3		
Sat. 24	01 50 6.3	11 22 2.0		
Sun. 25	03 08 6.5	12 19 1.7		
Mon. 26	04 56 6.5			
	20 48 4.9	18 00 1.5		
Tues. 27	06 24 6.9	00 00 4.4		
	20 45 5.1	18 40 1.3		

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

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Destination	Charge Rate per 1/2 ounce
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Europe, other countries (Marseilles for onward transmission by rail)	1.35

The air mail for each country will be landed at the place named in brackets.

The Air Mail Service from Saigon to Europe is weekly. The Hong Kong-Saigon connection will be maintained by the regular fortnightly sailing of the French mail steamers and on alternate weeks by any available steamers that can make the connection at Saigon.

Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Service" and handed in at the G.P.O. or Kowloon Post Office.

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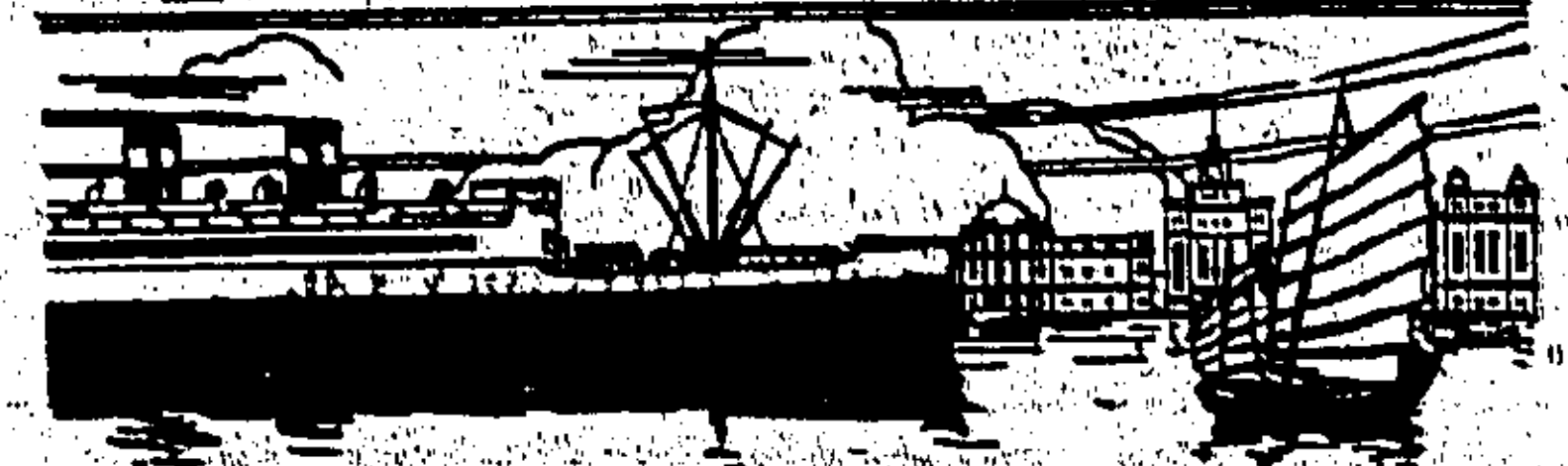
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.	
Shanghai and Swatow	Suiyang
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, August 25, and Parcels, August 18, Naldera	Empress of Canada
Manila	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23.
Straits	Nagoya
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi
Japan	Atsuta Maru
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, September 3)	Pres. Cleveland
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru

OUTWARD MAILS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21.	
Amoy	Tai Yuan Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
Tourane	Chung Kong Sept. 21, 3.30 p.m.
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Deli Maru 10 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutz 10 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Naldera 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea 8 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver, B.C. and Europe via Siberia	Empress of Canada (Due Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 11). Parcels Sept. 22, 8 p.m. Registrations 4.15 p.m. Letters 5 p.m.
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23.	
Holhow, Pakhoi and Halphong	King Yuan Sept. 23, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halyang 1 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Atsuta Maru (Due Thursday Island, Oct. 6). Registrations Sept. 23, 5 p.m. Letters Sept. 24, 8.30 a.m.

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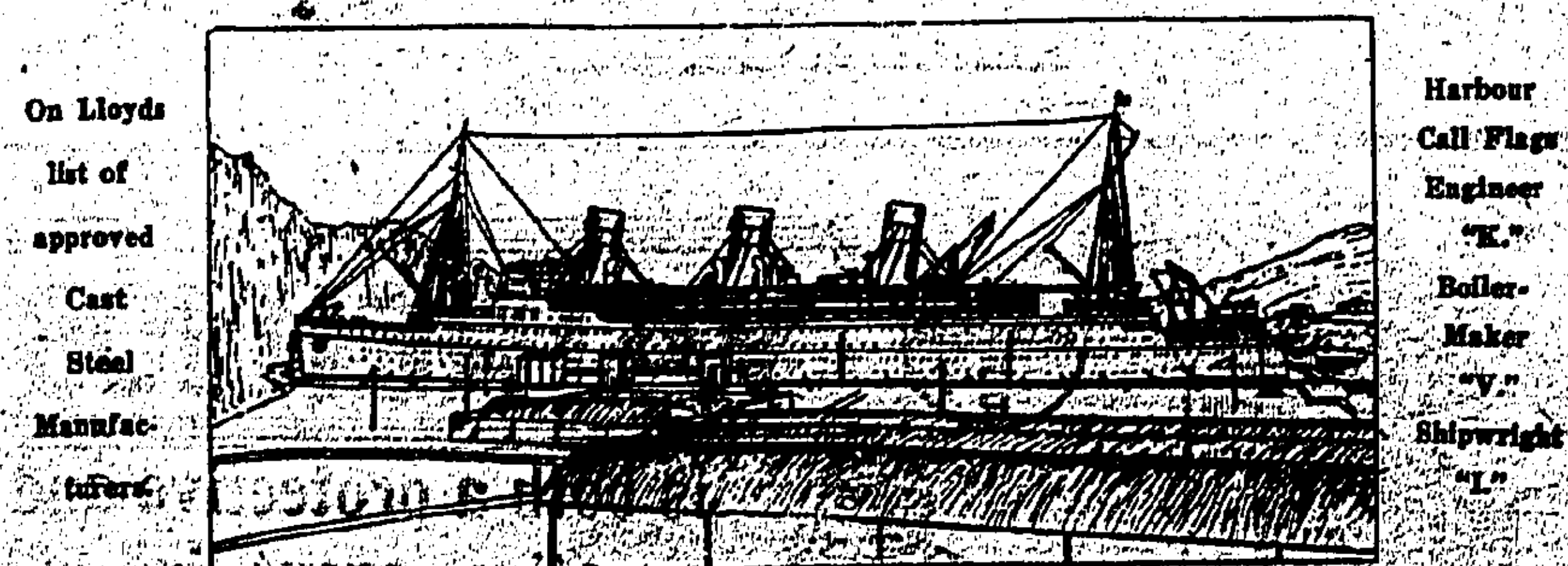
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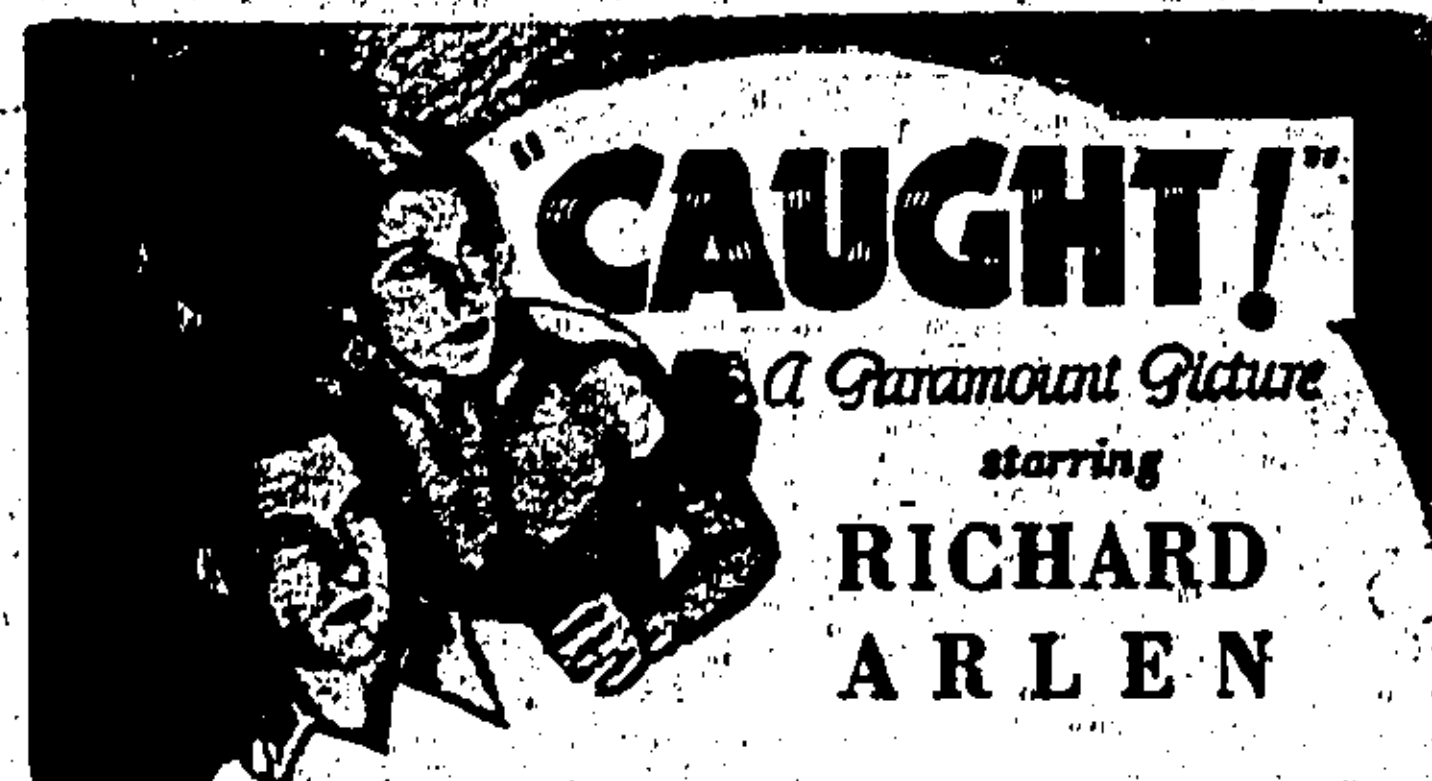
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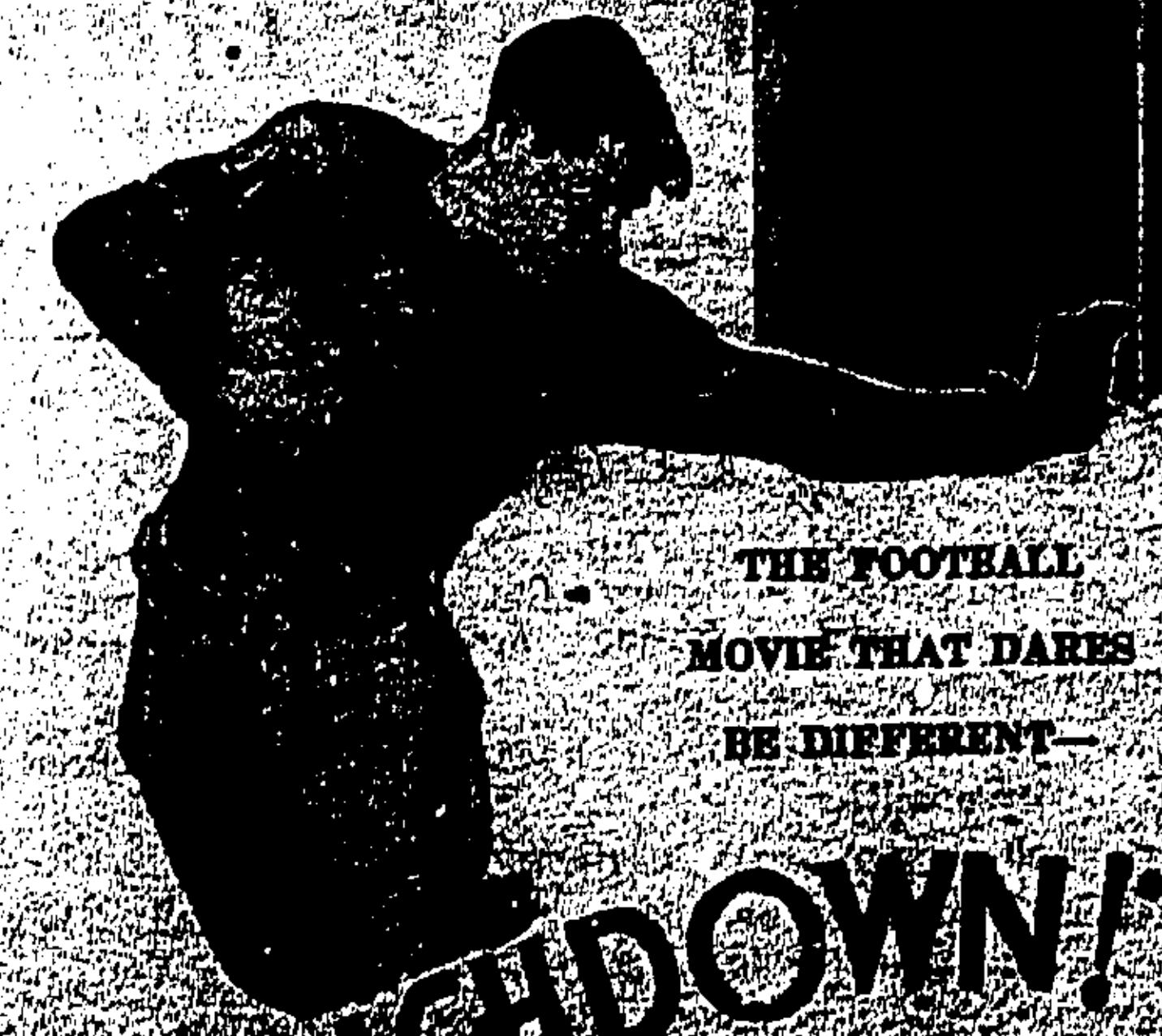
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METHODIST CHURCHES IN LEGAL UNION

Duke And Duchess Of
York At Ceremony.

A MILLION ADHERENTS.

London, To-day.

The legal act of Union of the three Methodist Churches in Britain took place yesterday in Albert Hall, in the presence of a large congregation which included the Duke of York, who represented H.M. the King, and was accompanied by the Duchess of York. The Bishop of London and other Bishops, leaders of non-conformity at home and abroad, the Lord Mayor of London, Mr. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, several members of Parliament, Sir Josiah Stamp and other prominent Methodists, were present.

Conferences of Wesleyan Methodist, Primitive Methodist and United Methodist churches having given their separate and joint assent to the deed, Dr. Scott Lidgett, President of the Union Conference, declared the Union accomplished.

There are over 1,000,000 adherents in Great Britain of the Methodist Church, which comprises about 12,000,000 members.

The Duke of York read a message from the King congratulating the Uniting Churches.

"I welcome the Union as marking one step towards the unity of the Christian people—a cause always near my heart," he said in part. The Duke of York added that the Union marked the opening of a new era in the life of one of the greatest spiritual forces in the modern world. He regarded Methodism as a leading factor for world peace, he declared.—British Wireless Service.

LYTTON REPORT IS
WELL GUARDED.

Translations Made But
Kept A Secret.

Geneva, Yesterday.

Every effort is being made to prevent a leakage in the Lytton Report. Except for printing, the report and translation are quite ready in French and English. Press summaries have been prepared. Printing will occupy a fortnight and it is expected that the report will be distributed on October 9 or 10 to all members of the League.

The report will be submitted to the Council which will not discuss it in deference to the Japanese Government's request for a delay of six weeks to enable the Japanese Government to examine the recommendations and send a special delegate to Geneva with full instructions.

It is felt here that the Japanese request is reasonable.

The special assembly for discussing the report will probably meet on November 21 and will remain in session for a fortnight.

Reuter.

TYPHOON TAIL HITS CHEUNG CHAU.

Small Damage Done To
Property.

Cheung Chau, Yesterday.
Little damage was done here during the typhoon although the storm was strong enough to stop the ferries Saturday. Trees and gardens suffered most.

Due to the re-opening of the schools, the number of visitors on the island is diminishing but it is surprising to note that most of the accommodation is looked up already for next summer.

A fine view was obtained of the lunar eclipse and the village was gallantly bedecked with coloured lanterns to celebrate the moon festival.

NO BLAME LAID IN
BOY'S DEATH.

Trapped Under Slide
At West Point.

A verdict of Death by Misadventure was returned by a Coroner's jury at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, when before Mr. Schofield, the inquiry was concluded into the death of Tseng Tack-hoi, a 15-year-old schoolboy, who was killed at a recent fall of earth on 18 Yat Fu Lane, West Point district.

The Jury added the following rider—"We consider that all precautions were taken previous to the slip, and that it was unforeseen. We consider no-one is to blame."

SOUTH CHINA COMMAND
SWIMMING.

(Continued from Page 1.)

4th Heat: Sgt. McCullough (R.A.P.C.), Cpl. Shearer (A.S.H.), L/Bdr. Harris (R.A.), and L/Cpl. Scammell (S.W.B.).

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4th Heat: Sgn. Cord (R.C.S.), Bnd. Jameson (A.S.H.), Gnr. Oliver (R.A.), and Dmr. Smith (S.W.B.).

CLOUDY.

The Royal Observatory's

states:—

The anticyclone has weakened

and moved eastward. It now

covers S.E. Manchuria and the

Sea of Japan. A trough of

relatively low pressure extends

from Indo-China across the

China Sea to the Pacific to the

east of Luzon. A definite centre

is not yet indicated.

Forecast:—N. E. winds,

moderate; cloudy.

U.S. LEGION STILL SEEKS CASH BONUS

Use Of Troops At The
Capital Is Condemned.

REPEAL URGED.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 19.

In the face of President Hoover's statement that payment in cash would be a fatal threat to the entire "national programme of economic recovery," the American Legion fairly shouted a demand to-day for the bonus.

By the overwhelming vote of 1,163 to 109, the national convention approved a resolution demanding that the World War compensation certificates given former service men be redeemed in cash without delay.

Shouts of Approval.

The announcement of the vote, which was taken after short speeches for and against the resolution had thrown the convention into disorder, was greeted with a shout of approval.

In addition the Legion took another slap at the administration by voting by noisy acclamation a proposal to censure the War Department because envelopes containing Secretary of War Hurley's speech defending the use of troops to oust the bonus marchers from Washington last July 28 were placed in the chairs of delegates in envelopes bearing the name of the department.

But a more stinging resolution, censuring the federal officials for the use of troops, was not voted on, not having been reported out of the resolutions committee.

Against Prohibition.

Outright repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead prohibition enforcement act was urged with the adoption of another resolution, 1,144 to 188.—A.P.

CHINESE BURNED IN FIGHTING FIRE.

Chemist's Mixture Is
Cause Of Blaze.

Burns on the arms and legs were sustained by Pun Kam, aged 22 years, when he attempted to extinguish a small fire which broke out at the Paramount Chemical Works, 581, Canton Road yesterday afternoon.

It appears that at about 4.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a Chinese dispensing chemist was engaged in experiments with a disinfecting fluid. A vessel containing a mixture of resin and cresol was being heated on a spirit stove, when it burst into flames.

Pun Kam, an employee, in attempting to subdue the flames, ventured too near, and was burned, but not seriously. He was later sent to the Kwong Wah Hospital for treatment.

The fire was eventually extinguished without causing any material damage.

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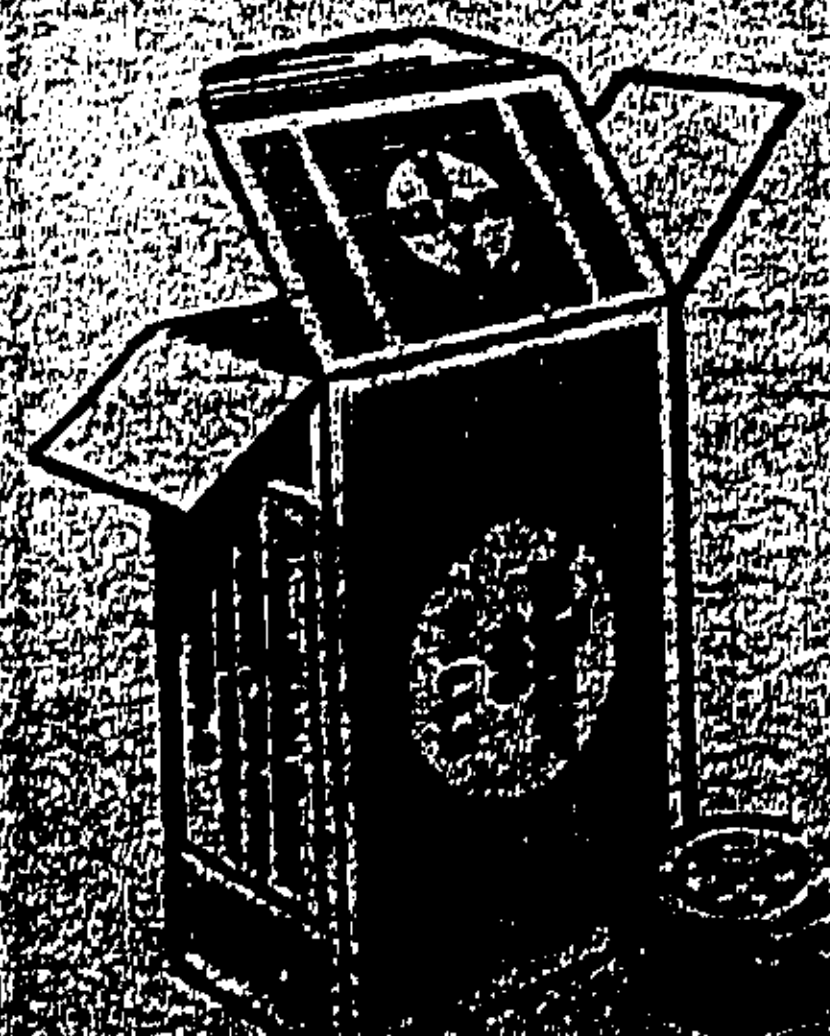
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